

# What Does Not Belong?

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Circle the nine things in the picture that do not belong. Draw a box around who you think would make the best king.



**BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:**

- God told Samuel one of Jesse's sons would be the next king of Israel.
- God chose David to be king.
- None of the Israelite soldiers would fight the great Philistine warrior Goliath.
- God helped David defeat Goliath with just a sling and a stone.

**KEY PASSAGE:** Psalm 145:13a

**BIG PICTURE QUESTION:**

- How is Jesus the perfect King? Jesus perfectly rules over everything.

**FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:**

- Read 1 Samuel 16:7. What is the difference between how God sees people and how we see people?
- Why was David not afraid to fight Goliath?
- How did Jesus defeat sin for us?

**FAMILY ACTIVITY:**

- Give the youngest child in your family a special privilege for a day. Talk about how God chose Jesse's youngest son, David, to be king.
- Invite another family to join yours on a walk along a stream or river. Search for smooth stones like David used to defeat Goliath.



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# Look and Find

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Find the nine hidden items in the picture using the key as a guide.



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David Showed Mercy

**BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:**

- Saul wanted to hurt David and went looking for him.
- Saul went into the cave where David and his men were hiding.
- David showed mercy to Saul and did not hurt him.

**KEY PASSAGE:** Psalm 145:13a

**BIG PICTURE QUESTION:**

- How is Jesus the perfect King? Jesus perfectly rules over everything.

**FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:**

- Why did Saul want to hurt David?
- What would you have done if you were David?
- Why did David show Saul mercy?
- How does Jesus show us mercy?

**FAMILY ACTIVITY:**

- As you discipline this week, choose an instance to show mercy to a child. Point her to the mercy we have in Jesus.
- Ask family members to identify someone he or she does not get along with. Make a list. Pray as a family daily for each person on the list for a week. Ask family members to tell how they feel about that person at the end of the week.



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# Find the Home

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Draw a line connecting the animal on the left with its home on the right.



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## Unit 11 • Session 3 God's Covenant with David

### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- David wanted to build a temple to hold the ark of God.
- God did not want David to build a temple for Him.
- God said David's son would build a temple for Him.
- God promised that every king of Israel would come from David's family.

**KEY PASSAGE:** Psalm 145:13a

### BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

- How is Jesus the perfect King? Jesus perfectly rules over everything.

### FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- Name some ways God has helped your family.
- Does God need us to give Him anything or do anything for Him? Why or why not?
- What forever king came from David's family?

### FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Look at old family photo albums. Show children past generations of your family. Pray together for that future generations of your family would faithfully follow Jesus.



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# Show Kindness

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Circle the children showing kindness or draw an X over the children not showing kindness in each scene.



## BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- David had promised to show kindness to his friend Jonathan's family when he became king.
- David showed kindness to Jonathan's son Mephibosheth.
- David gave Mephibosheth all the land that had belonged to his grandfather and invited him to eat all his meals at David's table.

**KEY PASSAGE:** Psalm 145:13a

## BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

- How is Jesus the perfect King? Jesus perfectly rules over everything.

## FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- Did Mephibosheth do anything to deserve David's kindness?
- Who is someone we can show undeserved kindness to? How?
- How does God show surprising kindness toward us?

## FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Brainstorm how your family can show unexpected kindness to someone this week.
- Do one act of surprising kindness for each child this week. Point them to the surprising kindness God shows them through Jesus.

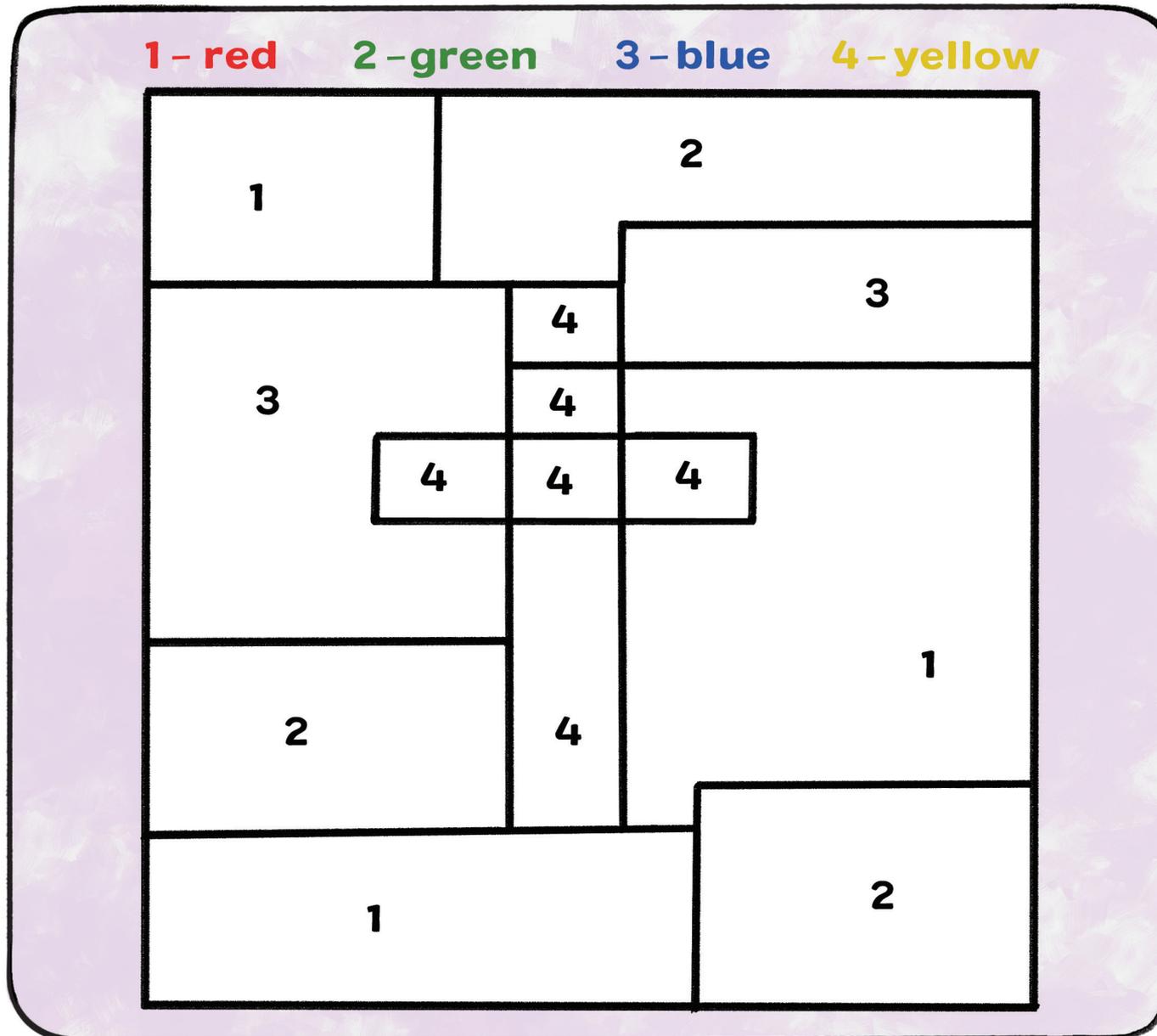


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# Color to See

INSTRUCTIONS: Color each block using the appropriate color based on the key.



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## David Sinned and Was Restored

### BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:

- David took Uriah's wife to be his own.
- God sent Nathan the prophet to tell David a story.
- David realized he had sinned and asked God to forgive him.
- God forgave David.

**KEY PASSAGE:** Psalm 145:13a

### BIG PICTURE QUESTION:

- How is Jesus the perfect King? Jesus perfectly rules over everything.

### FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:

- How does sin dishonor God?
- How does sin hurt people?
- How will God forgive our sin?
- How does Jesus change our hearts?

### FAMILY ACTIVITY:

- Model age-appropriate confession and repentance for your children this week. Own up to a sinful action or choice. Let them hear you pray, asking God for forgiveness.
- Discern an appropriate time to read Psalm 51 to your children as you discipline them. Help them understand that sin is first and foremost disobedience to God.



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# Protect the Sheep

**INSTRUCTIONS:** Circle each sheep in the picture and draw an X over each of the sheeps' enemies.



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David's Psalm

**BIBLE STORY SUMMARY:**

- David wrote a song to praise God.
- David wrote that God is like a shepherd, and we are like sheep.
- God takes care of us.
- God is with us and gives us all that we need and more.

**KEY PASSAGE:** Psalm 145:13a

**BIG PICTURE QUESTION:**

- How is Jesus the perfect King? Jesus perfectly rules over everything.

**FAMILY DISCUSSION STARTERS:**

- How has God shown His care for your family?
- Why do we have nothing to be afraid of?
- How is Jesus the Good Shepherd? What did He do for us, His sheep?

**FAMILY ACTIVITY:**

- Write a song or poem together as a family to praise God. Consider memorizing Psalm 23 as a family.
- Visit a farm with sheep or look online for videos of shepherds and sheep. Parents should view videos before children to avoid graphic content. Talk about how Jesus is the Good Shepherd, and we are like His sheep.



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